

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

LESHANE J. HOLMES,

Plaintiff,

No. Civ. S 04-1308 JKS EFB P

STEVE TEER, et al.,

Defendants.

LESHANE J. HOLMES,

Plaintiff,

No. CIV S-04-2377 LKK KJM P

vs.

JEANNE S. WOODFORD, et al.,

Defendants.

RELATED CASE ORDER

The court has received the Amended Notice of Related Cases concerning the above-captioned cases, both of which were filed July 9, 2004. See Local Rule 83-123(b). Examination of Civil No. S-04-1308 JKS EFB P, *Holmes v. Teer* and Civil No. S-04-2377 LKK KJM P, *Holmes v. Woodford*, reveals that these two cases are related within the meaning of Local Rule 83-123(a). The actions involve the same parties and are based on the same or similar claims.

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1 The parties should be aware that relating the cases under Local Rule 83-123 merely has
2 the result that actions are assigned to the same judge and magistrate judge; no consolidation of
3 the actions is effected. Under the regular practice of this court, related cases are generally
4 assigned to the judge and magistrate judge to whom the first filed action was assigned.

5 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the action denominated CIV. NO. S-04-2377 LKK
6 KJM be, and the same hereby is, reassigned to Judge James K. Singleton and Magistrate Judge
7 Edmund F. Brennan for all further proceedings. Henceforth, the caption on documents filed in
8 the reassigned case shall be shown as CIV. NO. S-04-2377 JKS EFB P.

9 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make appropriate adjustment in
10 the assignment of civil cases to compensate for this reassignment.

11 IT IS SO ORDERED.

12 DATED: February 14, 2008.

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14 EDMUND F. BRENNAN
15 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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